



**LITTLE  
GESTALTEN**

FALL 2021

**"There are many little ways to enlarge your child's world. Love of books is the best of all."**

JACQUELINE KENNEDY ONASSIS

Nothing fosters a child's imagination quite like a book. Books help us understand the world, pique our natural curiosity, impart knowledge, and hearten us to be empathetic and brave. In other words, books empower young readers to become the best versions of themselves. During this special time we are living in, our books invite everybody to be open, and stay curious.

Let's start with a premiere: Our very first book for the youngest readers among us! *The Animal Show* is Little Gestalten's first board book, created with Argentinian illustrator Marcos Farina. The newest addition to our successful craft series is *Let's Play Indoors!* This title includes many ideas for spending fun time inside. Whilst meaningful reading time is always guaranteed, our new picture books *The Path* and *Sun and Shiro and the Polka-Dot Snake* poetically advocate the importance of empathy towards all living things. Last but not least, our non-fiction title *Whatever the Weather* is here to direct the conversation topic back to the world of weather!

The words and pictures on the pages of a children's book encourage children to think for themselves, formulating their own perspective of the world around them. Our books are aimed at children, but can also enlighten and inspire adults reading along too.

We hope you enjoy discovering our new titles.

## Little Gestalten

About us: **Little Gestalten** celebrates today's most innovative authors and illustrators by bringing their work to life through original works of non-fiction, charming picture books, activity books and pop-ups. Thoughtfully designed, diligently printed and bound, our books are pushing the boundaries of traditional storytelling.



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## Nature Mobile

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- 1** First—get outdoors and forage! Find some sturdy sticks for the frame, and then anything you would like to hang from it: think pretty leaves of different colors, small flowers, nuts and big seeds (e.g. acorns) and smaller twigs or pieces of wood.



- 2** Construct the frame of your mobile. If you have one large piece of wood, that can be enough, but if you have two (or more), tie them together in a criss-cross shape with twine.



**You need:**  
One or two sturdy pieces of wood, strong twine (multiple colors if you like), collected outdoor items, large darning needles (optional), paint (optional).



- 3** Attach one long piece of twine to either each end of your large piece of wood (if using only one) or to the centre of your criss-cross shape. This will be used to hang your mobile, so make sure it is long enough for this purpose!



**Tip:**  
You can now paint some of your items that you have collected.

- 4** Attach the items you have collected to your frame using twine. If your items are sturdy enough, you can simply tie one end to the object and one end to the frame.



## Drawing pictures to decorate your room

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SAMPLE COVER

## A playful exploration of the great indoors.

For children, the world is their playground! But sometimes the world is encased by four walls, so it's time to get creative. *Let's Play Indoors!* offers imaginative and resourceful ways to keep kids amused and inspired with games, crafts, and home-styled costumes inside the house. This book encourages children to take the lead in deciding how to spend their time and is a perfect companion for rainy days or periods spent offline. With simple instructions on how to make paper masks and costumes as well as tips on how to wow friends and family with a shadow puppet performance, *Let's Play Indoors!* ensures that time spent inside is never wasted.



**RYAN EVERS** is a writer, translator, editor, and language teacher living in Berlin. He is an experienced creator of children's learning materials, particularly for younger learners of English, whom he has also taught in-person for over a decade. He also really, really loves DIY and craft activities!



British Illustrator **RACHEL VICTORIA HILLIS** grew up in north London, and is now based in Liverpool. She makes botanical-infused illustrations with a playful focus on design, slow-living, and modern gardening. Hillis' appreciation of the natural world is clear throughout her work and she hopes to positively inspire other people to appreciate the world in a similar light.



## Let's Play Indoors!

Fun Crafts for Children

Written by Ryan Evers  
Illustrated by Rachel Victoria Hillis

Category: Non-Fiction  
Recommended for: Ages 5 and up  
Features: Full color, hardcover, stitch bound, 48 pages, 21 x 26 cm, 8 1/4 x 10 1/4 inches  
Price: €14.90 (D) £12.95 \$19.95 (US)  
ISBN: 978-3-96704-713-4



RELEASE (EUROPE & UK): AUGUST 2021  
RELEASE (INTERNATIONAL): NOVEMBER 2021

### WHAT TO EXPECT

- Showcasing over 20 traditional crafts with a modern twist
- Thoughtful activities that don't need too much adult supervision or intervention
- A playful mix of decorative DIY tasks and games to create and enjoy

### YOU MIGHT ALSO LIKE



**Let's Play Outdoors!**  
by Catherine Ard & Carla McRae  
€14.90 (D) £12.95 \$19.95 (US)  
ISBN: 978-3-89955-843-2



### Easy Peasy

by Kirsten Bradley & Aitch  
€14.90 (D) £12.95 \$19.95 (US)  
ISBN: 978-3-89955-824-1



# The Animal Show

by Marcos Farina

Category: Board Book  
Recommended for: Ages 0 and up  
Features: Full color, cardboard, 24 pages, 15x15 cm, 6x6 inches  
Price: €9.90 (D) £8.95 \$12 (US)  
ISBN: 978-3-96704-717-2



RELEASE (EUROPE & UK): JULY 2021  
RELEASE (INTERNATIONAL): OCTOBER 2021



SAMPLE COVER



the **TURTLE** calmly **WALKS** on its tiptoes



but the **HORSE** is ready to **GALLOP!**



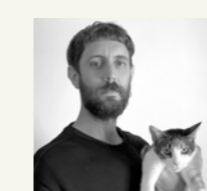
the **OWL** is always ready and **AWAKE**



but for the **SLOTH** it is always time to **SLEEP.**

Little Gestalten's first board book brings toddlers joy. This is our debut for fans aged 0-3.

Showcasing animals big and small, from beloved pets to friendly beasts, *The Animal Show* helps develop an awareness of the animal kingdom for very young children. Graphic and bold, the illustrations depict various animals going about their daily activities. Intended to support early development, this visual board book introduces monkeys, bears, owls, sloths, and many other creatures, exercising children's comprehension in a way that is simple, fun, and effective. The second collaboration with illustrator Marcos Farina, *The Animal Show* directs the Little Gestalten product range towards minds that are very new to the world.



**MARCOS FARINA** is an Argentinian graphic designer, specializing in handmade printing techniques whose playful illustrative style is rooted in the retro. He studied at the University of Buenos Aires and was a professor at the Faculty of Architecture, Design, and Urbanism for 15 years. He now lives in Madrid with his cat, Sumi, whose alter ego the reader can spot throughout the pages of the beloved Little Gestalten title *You and Me and Everybody Else*.

### WHAT TO EXPECT

- Printed on thick cardboard, this durable board book is ideal for babies, toddlers, and younger readers
- Eye-catching and vivid illustrations in a retro style
- Design-driven product which complements Little Gestalten's visual identity
- Printed on FSC™ certified paper and produced in Germany

### YOU MIGHT ALSO LIKE



#### The Carousel of Animals

by Gérard Lo Monaco  
€16.90(D) £16.95 \$19.95(US)  
ISBN: 978-3-89955-801-2



NEW

# Sun and Shiro and the Polka-Dot Snake

by Hiyoko Imai

Category: Picture Book  
Recommended for: Ages 3 and up  
Features: Full color, hardcover, stitch bound, 36 pages, 15 x 21 cm, 6 x 8 1/4 inches  
Price: €12.90 (D) £9.95 \$16.95 (US)  
ISBN: 978-3-96704-709-7



RELEASE (EUROPE & UK): JUNE 2021  
RELEASE (INTERNATIONAL): SEPTEMBER 2021

### WHAT TO EXPECT

- A minimalist and modern papercut illustration style using Japanese washi paper
- Teaching how to eat in a healthy manner through playful storytelling
- Lovable characters which help guide the narrative and deliver the message

### YOU MIGHT ALSO LIKE



**Issun Bōshi**  
by Icinori  
€14.90 (D) £12.95 \$19.95 (US)  
ISBN: 978-3-89955-718-3



### Fresh apples, curious fruit-loving creatures, and a great friendship – this is a picture book for all tastes.

Sun and his whitetailed dog, Shiro, love to explore together, spending their days savoring the beauty of the outdoors. This book follows them into the forest in search of delicious, shiny red apples that grow during the fall season. Along the way they meet a curious little creature called Polka-Dot Snake—a slithering friend who happens to love apples even more than them. The problem is, he's eating too many of them, and too fast.  
At its core, *Sun and Shiro and the Polka-Dot Snake* is about more than apples. It is a charming tale of friendship that consequently educates young readers about healthy eating without pointing a moral finger.



**HIYOKO IMAI** is a Tokyo-born illustrator and designer living in Amsterdam. After she studied Graphic Design in New York, Imai's career and work took her to Asia and Europe. Her minimalistic style is playful and delicate and she has shared her talents and experience in cross-cultural workshops for children. Besides work, she enjoys cooking, crafting, and being outside in nature with her son.





Every year, the path changes a little. Now, it's early spring. Everywhere there are electric green buds. The sound of growing.

People walk their dogs on the path. People come to watch birds. People come to walk the path when they are worried. People come when they are happy.



Clara is a scientist. She keeps a little note-book and a magnifying glass with her at all times. She loves to look at the smallest of things: ants, beetles, water droplets, the pollen tube of a flower.



SAMPLE COVER

# The Path

A Story about Finding Your Way

Written by Reif Larsen  
Illustrated by Beya Rebaï

Category: Picture Book  
Recommended for: Ages 3 and up  
Features: Full color, hardcover, stitch bound, 32 pages, 19 x 28 cm, 7 1/2 x 11 inches  
Price: €14.90 (D) £ 12.95 \$ 19.95 (US)  
ISBN: 978-3-96704-707-3



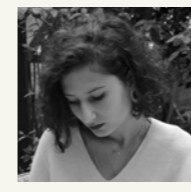
RELEASE (EUROPE & UK): AUGUST 2021  
RELEASE (INTERNATIONAL): OCTOBER 2021

In an ever-evolving world, the only thing to count on is change.

A path is never the same path twice. Everything we experience, be it real or imagined, influences what is around us—even if the changes are sometimes too small to recognize! For three curious kids, their regular walk down their neighborhood path is an experience far from ordinary. With sketchbooks tucked under their arms and a magnifying glass in hand, each child interacts with the path in a different way, and together, they create a whole world for themselves. *The Path* encourages young readers to take a closer look at their surroundings and emphasizes the importance of empathy towards all living things. For readers of all ages, this book demonstrates that change is certain, but that change is good.



**REIF LARSEN** is a bestselling author, with books like *The Selected Works of T.S. Spivet* translated into more than 27 languages. Larsen's essays and fiction have appeared in *The New York Times*, *The Guardian*, *Travel + Leisure*, and *The Believer*. Larsen is currently living in Troy, New York State, and hosts an event series and podcast named *Future of Small Cities*. This is his second children's book.



**BEYA REBAÏ** studied illustration in Brussels, and Paris. Fascinated by color, she builds her drawings with a limited and carefully selected color range. Inspired by the Impressionist and Modernist movements, Rebaï always has a sketchbook during her travels and draws what she sees in her way. She worked for clients like *The New York Times*, *Liberation*, *Nike*, *The New Yorker*, *Rimowa*, and *The Guardian*. This is her first children's book.

### WHAT TO EXPECT

- Written by acclaimed author Reif Larsen, whose books appeared on bestseller lists
- A tender story accompanied by hand-painted illustrations
- An opportunity to learn about plants, animals, and to nurture a connection to nature

### YOU MIGHT ALSO LIKE



**Beyond the Horizon**  
by Carolina Celas  
€14.90 (D) £12.95 \$19.95 (US)  
ISBN: 978-3-89955-840-1





## Winter Wonderland

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## Whatever the Weather

Learn about Sun, Wind and Rain

Written by Steve Parker  
Illustrated by Caroline Attia

Category: Non-Fiction  
Recommended for: Ages 7 and up  
Features: Full color, hardcover, stitch bound,  
56 pages, 24 × 28 cm, 9 ½ × 11 inches  
Price: €19.90 (D) £16.95 \$24.95 (US)  
ISBN: 978-3-96704-711-0



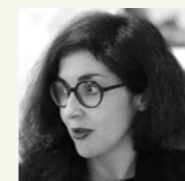
RELEASE (EUROPE & UK): SEPTEMBER 2021  
RELEASE (INTERNATIONAL): NOVEMBER 2021

Grown-ups are always talking about the weather—this book helps children understand the weather and why it changes from time to time.

How is fog formed? What causes a rainbow? Why do thunder and lightning always come as a pair? Curious children can often ask questions that might even be difficult for adults to answer, but *Whatever the Weather* knows the facts. Bursting with colorful illustrations, examples, and anecdotes, this book explains complex processes in a snackable way. Following two friendly characters and their little dog from page to page, young readers can learn about how temperature forecasting works, how some animals have an innate ability to predict the weather, and the effects of global warming. Come rain or shine, *Whatever the Weather* sees past the seasons and explains the world of weather in all its wonder.



Holding a First Class Honours BSc in Zoology and a position as Senior Scientific Fellow of the Zoological Society, **STEVE PARKER** knows the natural world. When it comes to science his formula is simple: “Remember the two I’s, information and imagination.” He has co-authored and edited over 300 non-fiction titles. This is his second book with Little Gestalten.



Illustrator and animator **CAROLINE ATTIA** has lent her whimsical style to *ELLE*, *The New York Times*, *Harvard Magazine*, *Pictoplasma*, and other prominent publications. Her film work has earned critical acclaim at the Istanbul Animation Festival and grants from the Centre National Du Cinéma. After *The Big Book of Treasures*, this is her second book with Little Gestalten.

### WHAT TO EXPECT

- More than 25 vividly illustrated scenes explaining everyday conditions and otherworldly phenomena caused by weather
- An overview of each season as the reader continues through the book
- Detailed facts to amaze children and adults alike

### YOU MIGHT ALSO LIKE



### Penguins and Polar Bears

by Alicia Klepeis & Grace Helmer  
€19.90 (D) £16.95 \$24.95 (US)  
ISBN: 978-3-89955-851-7



## High up in the clouds

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## Explore the World

Discoveries That Shaped Our World

Written and illustrated by Anton Hallmann

Category: Non-Fiction  
 Recommended for: Ages 8 and up  
 Translation: Ryan Evers  
 Features: Full color, hardcover, stitch bound, 56 pages, 24 x 28 cm, 9 1/2 x 11 inches  
 Price: €19.90 (D) £16.95 \$24.95 (US)  
 ISBN: 978-3-96704-703-5



## Who Invented This?

Smart People and Their Bright Ideas

Written by Anne Ameri-Siemens  
 Illustrated by Becky Thorns

Category: Non-Fiction  
 Recommended for: Ages 9 and up  
 Translation: David Henry Wilson  
 Features: Full color, hardcover, stitch bound, 96 pages, 20.5 x 26 cm, 8 x 10 1/4 inches  
 Price: €19.90 (D) £16.95 \$24.95 (US)  
 ISBN: 978-3-89955-133-4



Explore far-flung countries, the highest mountains, the deepest seas, and even outer space with *Explore the World*.

Every explorer is a true adventurer: they all have in common a curiosity for the unknown.

Across hundreds of years, explorers drew maps and gathered expansive knowledge of geography, climate, flora and fauna. The expeditions that shaped the world we are living in are collected in this illustrated compendium.

Join our two adventurers Emma and Louis on their journey: They will take you to all seven continents and introduce you to the explorers who embarked on a momentous expedition throughout history. Launch into outer space and walk the moon with the first astronauts who explored the solar system. *Explore the World* tells stories of bravery and curiosity, celebrating the search for something new in the world around us and beyond.



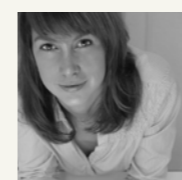
**ANTON HALLMANN** was born in Brandenburg, Germany and studied illustration at the Hamburg University of Applied Science. He is primarily working in editorial illustration for newspapers like *Die Zeit*, *Süddeutsche Zeitung*, or *FAZ* and clients like Google, Lufthansa, Deutsche Bahn and others. He currently lives in Stockholm. *Explore the World* is his first kids book.



"A fascinating look at how, and importantly, why, humans explore and discover, with good touches and caveats about treatment of indigenous people, oppression and colonisation, those who aren't credited with discovery or who have been forgotten, the different roles of women in history, and the importance of respecting the natural world and its people."  
 MINERVA READS

Investigating how some of history's greatest makers, creators, and ideas helped shape the world of today.

Who invented the car, the light bulb, or the jeans you are wearing right now? The things that surround us didn't just appear out of nowhere, they were conceived by talented inventors, scientists, and engineers. *Who Invented This?* is a visual journey for children that shows how groundbreaking masters from the past connect with modern technology, culture, and medicine.



Making her children's literature debut, **ANNE AMERI-SIEMENS** is using her experience as an author and journalist to tell entertaining stories about human development and the world around us. She previously worked for *Frankfurter Allgemeine Sonntagszeitung*, *SZ-Magazin*, and German television networks.



**BECKY THORNS** is the talented illustrator behind our acclaimed title *The World of Whales*. She graduated from Falmouth University with a Fine Art degree in 2015 and now specializes in children's illustration, literary themed works, and calligraphic lettering.





## We Love Pizza

Everything You Want to Know about Your Number One Food

by Elenia Beretta

Category: Non-Fiction  
 Recommended for: Ages 5 and up  
 Features: Full color, hardcover, stitch bound, 40 pages, 21 x 26 cm, 8 ¼ x 10 ¼ inches  
 Price: € 14.90 (D) £ 12.95 \$ 19.95 (US)  
 ISBN: 978-3-96704-705-9



## Tasty Treats

Easy Cooking for Children

Written by Adina Chitu  
 Illustrated by Elenia Beretta

Category: Craft  
 Recommended for: Ages 5 and up  
 Features: Full color, hardcover, stitch bound, 56 pages, 21 x 26 cm, 8 ¼ x 10 ¼ inches  
 Price: € 14.90 (D) £ 12.95 \$ 19.95 (US)  
 ISBN: 978-3-89955-148-8



Who doesn't like pizza? This book gives an entertaining introduction to the dish which connects the world.

*We Love Pizza* tells the story of our favorite food, a simple dish from Naples that conquered the taste buds of the world. Savor the flavor of toppings from classics to the strangest combinations, get to know some weird and wonderful facts, and learn step-by-step how to make a delicious dough and how to cook a pizza for family and friends.



**ELENIA BERETTA** is an Italian illustrator living in Berlin. She studied Editorial Illustration in Milan and works for clients like *Vogue*, *New York Times*, *Süddeutsche Zeitung*, or *Elle Magazine*, creates illustrations for clothing, or hosts workshops and Co-founder of Drawing Nights Berlin. She illustrated food books and children's books for Rizzoli Editore and is one of the illustrators for the 3 Volumes of *Good Night Stories for Rebel Girls*. After *Tasty Treats* this is her second book with Little Gestalten.



*Tasty Treats* invites children to cook tasty and healthy food by themselves.

Imagine a tower of fluffy pancakes topped with fresh fruit, or ice cream melting on your tongue, tasting unbaked chocolate balls, and many other treats to excite a sweet tooth. Alongside savory recipes for simple sandwiches, rainbow-colored salads, a refreshing zesty lemonade, and classic childhood favorites, *Tasty Treats* offers a fun way to prepare and present food and become the head chef—with just a little help from the adults. As a follow-up to the successful Little Gestalten titles *Easy Peasy* and *Let's Play Outdoors*, this book shows simple and fun ways for children to use their time creatively.



**ADINA CHITU** is a food photographer and food stylist based in Bucharest, Romania. Her blog *Pancake Planet* illustrates her passion for food, which started at the end of 2016 when she quit her PR job and started this new journey. *Tasty Treats* is her first book.



"features fresh ingredients for meals, snacks, and beverages children (and their grown-ups) will enjoy repeatedly, with multiple variations suggested for each basic recipe. (...) Watercolor illustrations and well-chosen typeface make this an attractive, tastefully designed book for browsing and daydreaming as well as for getting busy in the kitchen."

KIRKUS REVIEWS



## Tales of the Rails

Legendary Train Routes of the World

Written by Nathaniel "Natty" Adams  
Illustrated by Ryan Johnson

Category: Non-Fiction  
Recommended for: Ages 8 and up  
Features: Full color, hardcover, stitch bound, 72 pages, 24 x 28 cm, 9 1/2 x 11 inches  
Price: €19.90 (D) £16.95 \$24.95 (US)  
ISBN: 978-3-89955-845-6



Embark on a visual journey through train travel's rich history and embrace the sense of adventure as the world whizzes by.

*Tales of the Rails* embraces traveling by train and explores the infinite discoveries to be made onboard, from spectacular scenery and colorful cities, to the many different characters in the carriage. Featuring 13 impressive train routes from around the globe, we learn about Japan's record-breaking bullet train, then slow down a little to experience an overnight journey on one of Britain's last sleeper carriages. Studying where and why these routes exist, and discovering facts about the people that keep the engines running, this fully illustrated book is a nostalgic ode to the golden age of train travel.



**NATHANIEL "NATTY" ADAMS** is a writer and custom suit maker currently living in New Orleans, USA. He is the co-author of two gestalten books on men's style, *I Am Dandy* and *We Are Dandy*. A long-term train travel enthusiast, he is transferring that passion into his first children's book.



**RYAN JOHNSON** lives in Oakland, California, where, he paints, draws, and moves pixels. His clients include *NPR*, *Bloomberg Businessweek*, *Smithsonian*, and *Boston Globe*.



"Geography, history, engineering, and trains—all in one elegant package."  
KIRKUS REVIEWS



## Penguins and Polar Bears

A Pretty Cool Introduction to the Arctic and Antarctic

Written by Alicia Klepeis  
Illustrated by Grace Helmer

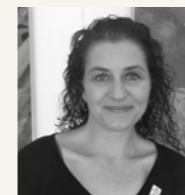
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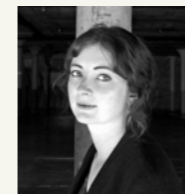
Did you know that Antarctica is not just the coldest, but also the driest continent on Earth? Have you ever wondered how a polar bear stays warm in the Arctic?

Penguins and polar bears never get to meet—except maybe at the zoo! But what else is there to know about the Arctic and Antarctica, two of our planet's most mysterious, fascinating, and vulnerable regions?

*Penguins and Polar Bears* takes the reader on an adventure to the ends of the world, exploring the land, as well as the the unique and resilient animals and plants to be found at the North and South Poles. You'll dive into the chilly oceans, skim over the brightest ice sheets, and meet the incredible people who live and work in these regions. So pack your warmest clothes and get ready for a very cool journey!



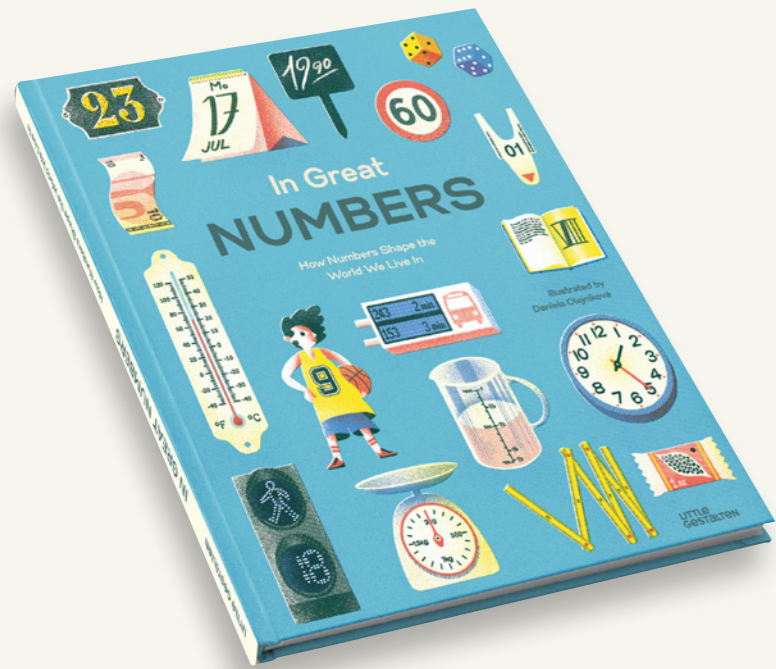
Author of over 100 children's books, **ALICIA KLEPEIS** joins forces with Little Gestalten again after the success of *Animal Allstars*. Having begun her career at the National Geographic Society, her expertises are in the fields of nature, science, history, geography, and social studies.



Illustrator **GRACE HELMER** reaches beyond her everyday view to create light-toned landscapes. She uses strong brush strokes to create her rich, ethereal oil illustrations. Since graduating from Camberwell College of Art, she has worked with an illustrious list of clients including Apple, Google, *The Washington Post*, and *Vogue*.



"A wide-angled view of two forbidding but far from deserted climes."  
KIRKUS REVIEWS



## In Great Numbers

How Numbers Shape the World We Live In

Written by Isabel Thomas, Robert Klanten, Maria-Elisabeth Niebus & Raphael Honigstein  
Illustrated by Daniela Olejníková

Category: Non-Fiction  
Recommended for: Ages 8 and up  
Features: Full color, hardcover, stitch bound, 64 pages, 24 x 28 cm, 9 1/2 x 11 inches  
Price: € 19.90 (D) £ 16.95 \$ 24.95 (US)  
ISBN: 978-3-89955-820-3



*In Great Numbers* introduces children to the fascinating world of numbers and explains how they help us in our daily life.

Imagine a world without numbers. How would we ask for three scoops of ice cream? Or know whether we have 60 minutes left to play with our friends rather than 60 seconds? Why does a minute have 60 seconds anyway and not 100? Where does zero come from and what language do computers understand? Without the wonderful invention of numbers, how would we be able to count, measure, and compare?

Over the centuries, people have conceived more and more clever ways to use them to understand the world around us, build cities, find our way home, and more. *In Great Numbers* is a fun book that will help children realize how fascinating and exciting numbers can be.



**ISABEL THOMAS** studied Human Sciences at Oxford University and has published over 150 books for children and young adults.

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*Süddeutsche Zeitung*, and *talkSPORT*. *The Big Book of Treasures* was his first children's book with Little Gestalten.



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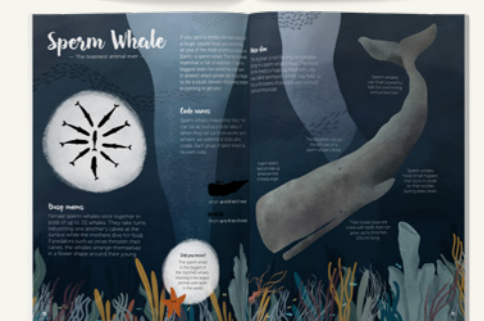
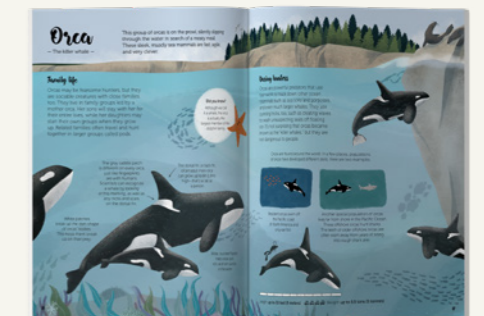
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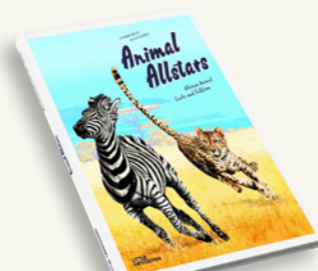
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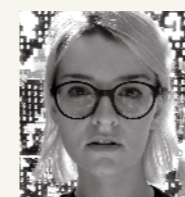


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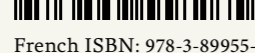


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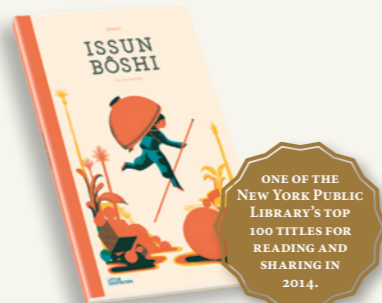


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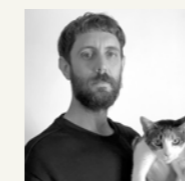
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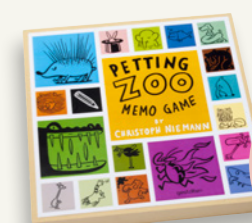
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